

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/070,571  
Inventor(s) : Gregory De Swarte et al.  
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Art Unit : 1744  
Examiner : Randall E. Chin  
Docket No. : CM2187FM  
Confirmation No. : 7197  
Customer No. : 27752  
Title : A Handle for a Toothbrush

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application.

The requested extension and fee are as follows:

- ☐ One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$  
☐ Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$  
☒ Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$1,020.00

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 16-2480.

Respectfully submitted,

THE PROCTER & GAMBLE COMPANY

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